

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

19-CR-227-01-JLS-MJR

v.

JOSEPH BONGIOVANNI,  
Defendant.

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**ORDER REGARDING USE OF VIDEO OR TELECONFERENCING**

In accordance with the General Order issued on December 8, 2020, this Court finds:

  X   That the Defendant has consented to the use of video teleconferencing/teleconferencing to conduct the proceeding(s) held today, after consultation with counsel; and

Accordingly, the proceeding(s) held on this date may be conducted by:

  X   Video Teleconferencing

       Teleconferencing, because video teleconferencing is not reasonably available for the following reason:

       The Defendant is detained at a facility lacking video teleconferencing capability.

       Other: Defendant did not have access to a video conferencing device.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: March 4, 2021  
Buffalo, NY

*/s/ Michael J. Roemer*  
MICHAEL J. ROEMER  
U.S. Magistrate Judge

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WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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19-CR-227-03-JLS-MJR

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Defendant.

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